

Wolfgang Kapp stages short-lived monarchist coup in Berlin (Mar)

Hitler joins National Socialist Workers Party (Nazis)

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KDKA Pittsburgh is first commercial radio station

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Ger billed 35 billion in reparations

(summer) mark = 75/1

(Nov) Washington conference on disarmament begins

(Dec) Ger loaf of bread = 40 marks

Mussolini form Fascist Party (Oct)
Mussolini's campaign of terror (3,000)

Lenin suffers stroke

Japan signs Territorial Integrity Treaty w/China

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Ger proposes moratorium on reparations (rej)

(summer) mark = 400/1

Fascists take Rome/ Muss appt. PM (Oct 24-8)

(Dec) Ger loaf of bread = 1,500 marks

(Jan) mark = 7,000/1

Mother's Day (US 1907) 1st celebrated in Eur

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(Jul) mark = 100,000/1

(Aug) mark = 1,000,000/1

Ger stops reparations =
FR into Ruhr

(Nov) Munich putsch/Mein Kampf

(Dec) mark = 130 bill/1

Lenin dies (Jan)

Giacomo Matteotti's assas -> hostility towards fascists

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Dawes Plan put into effect

(summer) Hitler writes Mein Kampf

(Dec) Hitler released early from prison

Ger pres. Ebert dies, Hindenburg elected

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(Dec) Locarno Peace Treaty: > FR > BEL > GER

From Jan 24 - Sept 29 ave stock in US
\$100--> 455

Fascist youth org. "Ballilla" in Italy & "Hitlerjugend" in Ger founded

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Germany admitted to League of Nations

Briand & Stresemann: Nobel Peace Prize

Trotsky exiled to Central Asia

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Lindburgh NY to Paris solo flight

Scheduled air flights across America avail.

Stalin begins 1st 5 year plan

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Nazis # 108,000 in party

Japan signs Kellogg-Briand Pact

(Aug) Kellogg-Briand Pact

Mussolini estab 1 party sys = full dictator

Roosevelt elected Gov. of NY

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American unemployment = 3.2 %

American factories = nearly 1/2 indust. goods

Young Plan cuts reparations 75%

(Sep) average stock price NYSE = \$455

(Oct) NYSE crashes!

By 1929, world economy = delicately balanced
house of cards...

improved relations - peace durable??